

GENERAL DIRECTORY.

SOCIETIES, ETC.

**TITUSVILLE BOARD OF TRADE**—M. S. Jones, president; J. M. Dixon, treasurer; J. G. East, secretary. Meets second Wednesday night in each month at their rooms.

**F. & A. M.**—Indian River lodge, No. 90, holds its meetings the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month at the court house. A. A. Stewart, W. M.; F. A. Morgan, Sec'y.

CHURCHES.

**EPISCOPAL CHURCH**—Rev. B. F. Brown, Rector. Services second and fourth Sundays in each month at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:00 a. m.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**—Rev. John A. Hughes, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**—Preaching at Titusville second Sunday in each month, morning and evening. Prayer meetings every Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:45 a. m. Indianola on the fourth Sunday; LaGrange on the first Sunday. E. N. Bell, Pastor

**METHODIST CHURCH**—Rev. J. E. Mickler, Pastor. Services first and third Sundays in each month at 11 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.; Sunday school every Sunday at 10 a. m.; Epworth league every Sunday at 3:30 p. m.; Prayer meeting every Thursday at 7:30 p. m.; Ladies' Aid society meets each Wednesday at 3:00 p. m. Everybody welcome.

TOWN DIRECTORY.

**TOWN OFFICERS**—A. D. Penney, mayor; M. S. Jones Jr., marshal and tax collector; C. S. Schuyler, clerk and treasurer; John Henry, assessor; D. L. Gaudin, F. A. Losley, J. M. Dixon, W. R. Knox, Jno. R. Walker, councilmen. The council meets first Tuesday in each month.

COUNTY DIRECTORY.

**COUNTY OFFICERS**—D. L. Gaudin, Titusville, county judge; M. Goldsmith, Titusville, prosecuting attorney; A. A. Stewart Titusville, clerk circuit court; J. F. Wooten, Cocoa, tax assessor; E. W. Hall, Sharpes, tax collector; John Henry, Titusville, treasurer; J. H. Sams, Courtenay, superintendent public instruction; J. O. Fries, Titusville, county surveyor; J. P. Brown, Titusville, sheriff; T. J. Cockshutt, LaGrange, registration officer.

**COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**—J. R. Walker, Titusville, chairman; W. H. Sharpe, Sharpes; Jos. Mendel, LaGrange; Jno. Houston, Eau Gallie; J. N. Waller, Ankona. Regular sessions are held first Tuesday in each month.

**COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD**—J. M. Dixon, Titusville; S. F. Gibbs, Melbourne; R. E. Mims, Bonaventure.

HORRORS OF INDIAN FAMINE.

Dirt and Rags Add to the Deadly Effects of Cholera.

Special Correspondence of The Florida Star.

BOMBAY, June 9.—I have just returned from another and more extended tour of the famine districts and with mine own eyes have verified the worst stories I have read or heard of the suffering and distress of these starving people. Children wandering about like chips adrift on the sea, people dying along the roadside through sheer lack of food, jackals and vultures feasting upon human flesh—all these things are only too true.

The land swarms with multitudinous living skeletons. I have grown accustomed to the sight of stomachs hollowed out like basins. There is nothing romantic in this form of suffering, for starvation in its visible form is simply and only hideous.

The death rate is appalling despite the fact that the government is doing its level best to save human life. The money raised and sent by England is doing a lot of good, but the money thus sent is not yet sufficient to cover the widespread distress nor the multitude of sins on the part of the natives in charge of the relief works.

It is a pleasure to add, however, that the funds sent here by the people of America and intrusted to American missionaries reaches the sufferers in a direct way and in such a way that five American dollars go further and do more good than the same amount in English money.

The scenes I have witnessed are heartrending in the extreme, and surely they serve to emphasize the fact that the help of the American people is sorely needed. The money sent here from the United States through The Christian Herald is doing an amazing amount of good. And still more money is needed, for the rainy season approaches and heaven only knows how these unsheltered sufferers are to be saved.

At the poorhouse near Nadlad I found 1,200 people, many of them down with the cholera, dysentery and other diseases common to a famine poorhouse. The place was fearfully malodorous, and the patients in the hospital were shamefully neglected.

The condition of things at another poorhouse about 50 miles from Nadlad was infinitely worse. The stench of dead bodies filled the air. Our very clothing was impregnated, and we carried the dreadful odor away with us.

Cholera patients were wallowing in the mire. One woman, whose mind had given way, sat staring vacantly at the scene of misery all around her. Out of 374 patients admitted in 16 days all but 30 had died.

Nothing but dirt and rags was visible, while the microbe laden dust, the heat and filth rendered the place really intolerable for human habitation.

At another relief camp near a place called Vansar I found 7,000 people at

work building a reservoir—tanks they are called here. There was no shelter provided for day or night, the whole 7,000 people being compelled to work in the full glare of the fierce sun, prepare their meals and eat in the sun and finally at night to sleep on the ground without blankets, with only the sky for a roof.

The heat at this place was intense, the thermometer indicating 122 degrees



IN THE FIERCE GLARE OF THE SUN. In the shade. Pregnant women, nursing mothers, feeble children were everywhere in evidence, working hard and bearing burdens contrary to the laws of nature, civilization and the code.

At the poorhouse in Ahmadabad my attention was first directed to 200 applicants who were seated around the gate without shelter and who, the superintendent said, would be kept there 24 hours under observation to determine whether they developed signs of cholera.

Out of 145 patients in the hospital 18 had that day been incinerated. In walking through the wards we discovered six dead bodies on the cots.

The next day I called again and found five more dead bodies on the cots and in response to an inquiry learned that those who died after the corpses are removed in the morning remained on the cots in the hospital until evening, when the time came for the burning of the dead. At the sight of a flock of vultures one of our party got out of the carriage to ascertain the occasion for the gathering of the winged scavenger and found in a ditch two dead bodies about to be consumed.

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A million words are transmitted daily by telephone in the Philippines.

A smokeless coal is being introduced into England which can be burned either in an ordinary grate or on a shovel in the middle of the room without any perceptible odor or smoke.

A new steel steamer was built for Fritjof Nansen for the purposes of the present Polar expedition. It is not so much his desire to reach the pole on this occasion as it is to make a study of some of the conditions in the polar regions. These observations will be of value later.

Mrs. Jas. Forest, of Chippewa Falls, Ill., writes: I had a running sore on my leg for seven years, and spent hundreds of dollars in trying to get it healed. Two boxes of Banner Salve entirely cured it. Banner Salve is the most healing medicine in the world. Wilson & Son.

NOTICE.

Changes Made in the School Board Districts.

The county school board districts are hereby changed in accordance with chapter 4193, session laws of 1893.

School board district No. 1 shall be formed of and include election districts— No. 1, LaGrange—No. voters registered... 63 No. 2, Titusville—No. voters registered... 178 No. 3, City Point—No. voters registered... 32 No. 13, Georgiana—No. voters registered... 30 No. 14, Merritt—No. voters registered... 55 No. 15, Canaveral—No. voters registered... 31 No. 16, Haulover—No. voters registered... 17

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School board district No. 2 of election districts— No. 4, Rockledge—No. voters registered... 140 No. 5, Eau Gallie—No. voters registered... 65 No. 6, Melbourne—No. voters registered... 49 No. 7, Malabar—No. voters registered... 21 No. 8, Sebastian—No. voters registered... 44 No. 12, Narrows—No. voters registered... 22 No. 19, Micco—No. voters registered... 12 No. 20, Banyan—No. voters registered... 42

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School board district No. 3 of election districts— No. 9, St. Lucie—registered voters... 141 No. 10, Eden—registered voters... 118 No. 11, Fort Drum—registered voters... 53 No. 18, Ankona—registered voters... 21 No. 21, White City—registered voters... 35 No. 22, Woodley—registered voters... 52

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By order of the board of public instruction, S. F. GIBBS, Chairman. JNO. H. SAMS, Co. Supt. Pub. Ins. Titusville, Fla., July 13th, 1900.

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Commissioner and Administrator's Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale issued by the judge of the circuit court of Brevard Co., Florida, we will sell at public auction in front of the court house door at Titusville, Florida, during the legal hours upon the first Monday in August, A. D. 1900, for the purpose of paying the debts of John Hetherington, deceased, to the highest and best bidder for cash all the following land belonging to the said estate of John Hetherington, deceased and lying in Brevard county, Florida, to-wit: Commencing at a place sixty feet south of the North Fort Capron ditch on the bank of Indian river, thence run in a westerly direction parallel with the ditches 840 feet, thence north 210 feet, thence easterly parallel with the above mentioned ditches to Indian river, thence along said river in a southerly direction to the place of beginning, in section 28, township 34, south range 40 east, containing four acres with all riparian rights.

M. S. JONES, JR.,

Commissioner,

A. C. DITTMAR,

As Administrator of the Estate of John Hetherington.

Titusville, Fla., June 29, 1900.

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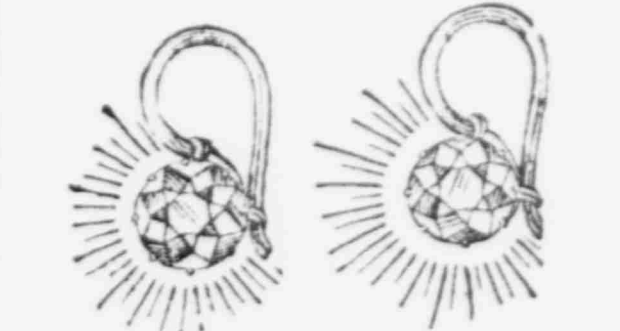
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